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OUR DIRECTORY.

SPRINGFIELD, county seat of Washington County, 32 miles southeast of Lexington, 59 miles from Louisville on Bardstown branch of Louisville and Nashville railroad, in a fine stock and agricultural district. Two banks, telegraph and telephone lines, express office, four miles, lumber yards. Population 1900; population of county 15,000.

Representative in Congress, Hon. D. H. Smith, Hodgenville, Ky.

Representative in Kentucky Legislature, Hon. G. A. Dohoney.

Representative in State Senate, Hon. R. S. Puryear Campbellsville, Ky.

County Directory.

CIRCUIT COURT

Circuit Court begins on the fourth Monday in February, May and October.

C. S. Patterson, Judge.
W. H. Sweeney, Commonwealth Attorney.
J. T. Sutherland, Clerk.
Thos. A. Medley, Master Commissioner.

QUARTERLY COURT

Quarterly Court is held on the third Monday in each month.
S. L. Litsey, Judge.

COUNTY COURT.

County Court meets on the fourth Monday in each month.
S. L. Litsey, Judge.
W. F. Booker, County Clerk.
T. S. Mayes, County Attorney.
George Catlett, Jailer.
Byron Cowan, Sheriff.
Richard Isham
Sidney Osborne, } Deputies,
Ed Masters,
James F. Moore, County Surveyor.
J. L. Royalty, Assessor.
T. P. O'Bryan Doyle, Treasurer.
Robert Noe, Treasurer.
J. M. Montgomery Coroner.
J. W. Hibbs, Supt. of Common Schools, P. O. Springfield.

CITY COURT

James R. Noe, Police Judge
John Grace, Marshal.
W. D. Claybrooke, City Attorney

JUSTICE COURT

Justice Courts are held in January, April, July and October.

Church Directory.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. George Douglas Pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School at 8:30. Prayer-Meeting on Wednesday night at 7:30.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. J. D. Ward, Pastor. Services on the First and Third Sundays in each month at 11 a m and 7:30 p.m. Sunday School every Sunday at 10 a.m. Prayer Meeting every Wednesday night.

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. P. F. Hennessay, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 8 and 10 o'clock a.m. Services at St. Rose same hours.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Rev. ——— Feltz, Pastor. Service second and fourth Sunday in each month.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Rev. G. A. Strickland, pastor. Preaching every Sunday at 11 a.m., and at 7 p.m. Sunday school every Sunday at 10 a.m. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at 7 o'clock

Fraternal Orders.

MASONIC LODGE—Springfield Lodge No. 50 meets second Monday in each month.

Washington R. A. Chapter, No. 57 meets every third Monday.

Springfield Council No. 52 meets on every fourth Monday.

KNIGHTS OF THE MACABEES—Meets every first Wednesday in each month

Manager Wanted.

We desire to employ a trustworthy lady or gentleman to oversee our business in this county and adjoining territory. Our house is well and favorably known. $30 straight Cash Salary and all expenses paid each week to check direct from headquarters. Expense money advanced each week. Previous experience unnecessary; position permanent. Address Thomas F. Cooper, Manager, 1066 Caxton Building, Chicago.

A ROUND OF TALK.

THE MARCH WINDS.

Hear the March wind rushing by,
'Neath a grey and cloudy sky—
Hear it whistle, shrill and high
As on it hurries!
Hear it rattle at the door!
Hear it bowl and hear it roar,
Scattering rain-drops on before
In sudden flurries!

Hear the March wind, far away
In its noisy, boisterous play—
See the maples twist and sway
As on it rushes
Hear the branches wail and cry
Beckoning to the stormy sky—
List!—the wind begins to die
In fitful hushes

By Benjamin Ketch.

DOGS—"It's an ill wind that blows nobody good" is an old but trite and true saying and it was well illustrated here last week on the occasion of the mad-dog scare in the town A dog supposed to be mad ran amuck among the town dogs for a while and as a consequence all of the canine population of the community was put under the ban of suspicion. A campaign of investigation and a small war of extermination was inaugurated by our worthy town marshal and as a result the population of dog heaven has been increased by at least a score of canine souls from this particular district. It developed too, that few if any of these worthless canines had any real excuse for living in the town as they had never complied with the law requiring all town dogs to pay a tax for the privilege of living. Many of the delinquents were slaughtered and those spared have promised to pay taxes and be good. So a mad-dog scare is not so bad a thing after all. Anyway it is a good tax collector

THE ROAD QUESTION—Tho' question will not down no matter whether it has any effect or not the NEWS-LEADER will continue to offer a few suggestions along the line of furnishing a solution for the problem of how to keep the roads from going to ruin. We have made the suggestion before to the effect that it would be a wise plan for the Fiscal Court to appoint a good, practical road builder to take charge of all the road making and repairing for the county At the last meeting of the county magistrates, the members themselves undertook to do this work for a certain consideration, each magistrate to have charge of the work in his respective district. Each one may have and no doubt did his best to get results from the amount of the appropriation available but while we do not say that the result was a failure it was not what the people expected and the roads are bad and getting worse. We believe that if a practical road builder was employed by the county and empowered to put the work where it was most needed, and given power to employ hands and see that the work is properly and scientifically done, his salary could be paid from the annual appropriation as heretofore made and that much more good would be accomplished with the remainder than has been done heretofore. So long as the patchwork methods which have been pursued in the past are continued, the roads will be no better than they are now. The county will have more money this year on account of increased assessment and it should use it on the roads, for that is where it will do the most good to the most people.

ASSESSMENT—Speaking of the complaint from those tax payers of the county who have had their assessment raised by the Board of Supervisors, a county official remarked that the great trouble about taxes in Washington county is that the valuation of property has always been put too low. It is estimated that even now with the increase that has been recently put on that the assessed valuation of farm property in the county is not sixty per cent of its real value. Numerous cases could be cited where farmers have refused thirty, thirty-five and forty dollars an acre for their land and yet give it in to the county assessor at from ten to fourteen dollars. If a better valuation could be established more income for the county with which to keep up the roads would be the result.

Better than Gold

I was troubled for several years with chronic indigestion and nervous debility, writes P. J. Green of Lancaster N. H. No remedy helped me until I began using Electric Bitters which did me more good than all the other medicines I ever used. They have also kept my wife in excellent health for years. She says Electric Bitters are splendid for female weaknesses, that they are a grand tonic and invigorator for weak run down women. No other medicine can take its place in our family. Try them. Only 50 cents guaranteed by Haydon.

Wolf Stories.

Causes a weak body and invites disease. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cures and strengthens the stomach and also wards off and overcomes disease. J. B. Taylor a merchent of Texas says: I could not eat because of a weak stomach, I lost all strength and run down in weight. All that money could do was done but all hope of recovery vanished. Hearing of some wonderfulcures effected by Kodol I concluded to try it. The first bottle benefited me and five restored me to my usual health, strength and weight. Haydon.

Those who are suffering from ailments caused by inactive kidneys will not be disappointed in the use of GAY U-BA. It is a remedy prepared especially for kidney complaints. Its use has restored many hopeless invalids to health and strength. Sold by Wood and Campbell.

MARION NEWS.

From the Enterprise.

[illegible] to the evil doers with [illegible] severity yesterday. Logan Perkins was charged with breaking into the workshop of Ed Gum and taking therefrom two pistols, was given a five year term in the penitentiary. Annie Morgan and Minnie Cowherd, the two negro women who robbed a Taylor county citizen a few weeks ago were given 5 years each, and Elisha Parrott who two weeks ago entered the residences of Mrs. McAtee and Mrs Johnson was given 7 years for each offence. Fourteen years in the penitentiary is not long for such as Parrott.

Master Commissioner Buckner sold at the Court House door yesterday afternoon the Ben O'Neal lands in this county. Auctioneer Phil Thompson came over from Springfield to cry the sale. There were four tracts in all and the purchasers were as follows: The Henry O'Neal farm of 153½ acres to B. Mahon at $34 90: the Home farm of 108 to John. Hugh and Will Mahon at $35.10; the Frank O'Nealfarm of 52 3-8 acres to Percy Bowman at $24 50; an addition to the home farm of 52 3-8 acres to Sam T. Spalding at $15 25.

Mrs Belle Spalding relict of the late R. Len Spalding died at her home near New Market on Wednesday Feb 18 1903, after a long illness of consumption Deceased was an estimable ladyand leaves besides her children a host of friends to mourn her death. She was about forty years of age. The funeral services were held at the Catholic church of which she was a devout and consistent member. The bereaved family have the sympathy of all in their sad loss

The Deaton will case which has consumed a large portion of time in the Circuit Court was given to the jury Tuesday afternoon, and after deliberating about five hours they reported that it was impossible for them to agree on a verdict and the Judge discharged them Seven stood for letting the will stand and five for breaking it. The best legal talent to be found anywhere was employed on both sides and the case was hard fought The arguments were interesting and the entire proceedings attracted a large number of spectators.

Remarkable Performances of Baby Alligators.

The two little alligators in a snug corner of Mulhleier & Company's crug store attract a great deal of attention. Mr. Dan Talbott who gives them great care says their performances are quite interesting, if not remarkable. They have a game Mr. Talbott says, that might be called a species of leap frog. According to his description they take their places at opposite ends of the box in which they are kept and rush madly towards each other as if for a fight or a head end collission. But that is not the point, the object is for one to leap entirely over the other without any contact, and this they generally succeed in doing taking turn about in making the leap. Once while he was watching them at this sport Mr. Talbott discovered that the little swamp animals have a sense of humor. As one was making the leap the other underneath, projected his tail upwards and so disconcerted his playmate that the latter fell awkwardly and then both lay shaking, Mr. Talbott says, as if laughing heartily Their does not seem to heat the little animals up at all and their skins are always cold.—Nelson Record.

Tendency of the Times

The tendency of medical science is towards preventive measures. The best thought of the world is being given to the subject. It is easier and better to prevent than to cure It has been fully demonstrated that pneumonia one of the most dangerous disease that medical men have to contend with can be prevented by the use of Chamberlains Cough Remedy. Pneumonia always results from a neglected cold or from an attack of influenza and it has been observed that this remedy counteracts any tendency of the diseases towards pneumonia. This has been fully proven in many thousands of cases in which this remedy has been used during the great prevalence of colds and grip in recent years and can be relied on with implicit confidence. Pneumonia often results from a slight cold when no danger is apprehended until it is suddenly discovered that there is fever a difficulty in breathing and pain in the chest and then it is announced that the patient has pneumonia. Be on the safe side and Take Chamberlains Cough Remedy as soon as the cold is contracted. For sale by Haydon

Escaped an Awful Fate

Mrs. E. Huggins of Melbourne Fla., writes "My doctor told me that I had consumption and that nothing could be done for me. I was given up to die. The offer of a free bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption induced me to try it. Results were startling. I am now on the road to recovery and owe it all to Dr. King's New Discovery. It surely saved my life. This great cure is guaranteed for all throat and lung diseases by C. J. Haydon, druggist. Price 50 cents & $1.00. Trial bottles free

Elms Destroyed

New Haven Echo: One of the most attractive features of the Abbey of Gethsemani is no more Those magnificent elm trees that formed the avenue that leads up to the "Porter's Lodge" have been cut which destroyed much of the beauty of the place. There were four rows of full grown trees that were set so as to form a perfect shade at all times. They were full, new and their beauty was such that every visitor always remembered them

A few years ago they were attacked by a beetle but had about killed them and the only thing to be done was to cut them down so that new trees could be planted in their place.

DeWitts Witch Hazel Salve

The only positive cure for blind, protruding and itching piles, cuts, burns, bruises, eczema and all abrasions of the skin. DeWitts is the only Witch Hazel Salve that is made from pure unadulterated witch hazel—all others are counterfeits. DeWitts Witch hazel Salve is made to cure—counterfeits are made to sell. Haydon.

The best physic, "Once tried and you will always use Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets," says William A. Girard Pease Vt. These Tablets are the most prompt, most pleasant and most reliable cathartic us. For sale by Haydon

Mothers give safely Foleys Honey and Tar to their children for coughs and colds for it contains no opiates or other poisons. Sold by Wood and Campbell.

DeWitts Witch Hazel SALVE
Famous healing salve in the world.

PIONEER TEACHERS.

Bardstown Was a Field For Many Distinguished Pedagogues.

Among the first school teachers who came to Nelson county was William Coombes.

He was one of the first settlers at Harrodsburg, and afterwards with Dr. Hart removed to Bardstown. Another early teacher was Ichabod Radley who began teaching in Nelson county about the year 1760. Old Ben Hardin Robert and Charles A Wickliffe, were among his pupils. Another pioneer teacher was Daniel Barry who taught school for a number of years in Bardstown. Barry was an Irish refugee. He was versed in the languages, an accomplished scholar and a polish ed gentleman. Old Ben Hardin was also one of his pupils and afterwards assisted Barry in teaching.

In the beginning of the establishment of schools, the school house was a log structure with greased paper windows, punch eon benches, and desks and a mammoth fire place. Dilworth's speller and the New Testament were the sole text books Geography and arithmetic were taught orally. Writing was more akin to natural than mental exercise and required the teacher to be expert in the making of quills as well as marks.

The teachers were generally of Scotch or Irish extraction with now and then a Yankee The early common schools were supported by subscription, each patron bearing a proportion of the general cost. The teacher was usually a man of necessities and accepted his salary in pork, corn and whisky. As corn was worth $10 a gallon, whisky $15 per pint and a lodging $6, and other produce commanded high prices, it was no difficult matter to settle tuition fees. The last century was marked by a rapid progress in the scholastic attainments of the teacher and Kentucky to day has as good schools and colleges as can be found in the world.—Ky. Standard.

Remedy for a number of years and I have no hesitancy in saying that it is the best remedy for coughs, colds and croup I have ever used in my family. I have not words to express my confidance in this remedy-Mrs J. A Moore North Star, Mich. For sale by C. J. Haydon

When applied to a burn or a scald Dr. Classe's German Penetratin Linement relieves the pain at once Its effect is cooling and soothing, Sold by Wood & Campbell

The Earth Swallowed Him.

The experience of young Denny Tomlinson of the Hound Hollow section in Pulaski county the other night was most thrilling He was returning from church services at a late hour of the night and missed his pathway in the dark. Suddenly the earth seemed to open and swallow him. After falling a distance of some 50 feet he found himself considerably bruised and bleeding at the bottom of one of the limestone caverns so numerous in that section. Fortunately for him a 36 foot pole had been previously let into the hole for the purpose of rescuing a dog that had met a similar mishap many years ago. This he climbed to within 12 feet of the mouth of the aperture, and by heroic efforts succeeded in cutting one by one, foot-holds into the rock and making his torturous way out of the

Colds

"I had a terrible cold and could hardly breathe. I then tried Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and it gave me immediate relief."
W. C. Layton, Sidell, Ill.

How will your cough be tonight? Worse, probably. For it's first a cold, then a cough, then bronchitis or pneumonia, and at last consumption. Coughs always tend downward. Stop this downward tendency by taking Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

Three sizes: 25c., 50c., $1. All druggists.

Consult your doctor. If he says take it, then, do as he says. If he tells you not to take it, then you may be sure he knows best. Leave it with him. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

middle of an awful fix. He had fired many shots and called until he was voiceless in hopes of bringing a rescuer before taking the desperate chances of climbing out unaided. He was in what was practically a living grave for over twelve hours when, for a fifteen year old was a decidedly thrilling adventure.—Harrodsburg Herald.

The Easy Pill

DeWitts Little Early Risers do not gripe or weaken the system; they cure Biliousness, jaundice, constipation and inactive bowels by arousing the secretions, moving the bowels gently and effectually and giving such tone to the glands of the stomach, liver and bowels that the cause of the trouble is removed entirely. These famous little pills exert a decided tonic effect on the organs involved and if used a few days there will be no return of the trouble, Haydon.

When you feel like and that everything goes wrong take a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They will cleanse and invigorate your stomach, regulate your bowels, give you a relish for work and make you feel that in this old world is a good place to live. For sale by Haydon.

Winter coughs are apt to result in consumption if neglected, They can be broken up by using Foleys Honey and Tar. Sold by Wood & Campbell

Fifty Dogs After Him.

J. A. Tomlinson, Breck Bonta, Dave Chatham and Wes Vansandall and several hunters from Boyle and Garrard county enjoyed a fine fox on run Thursday night. Fifty dogs ran Reynard from 8 at night to daybreak. Once the fox carried the dogs down into Shaker Bend, thence to Poor Neck neighborhood and from there led them into the edge of this city. Once or twice the fox was so sely pressed but by doubling on his track and resorting to other tricks managed to escape. This fox is furnished hunters a good deal of sport and seems to enjoy the runs so much that he has been known to run through a yard where a number of dogs were lying about as if to tantalize or challange them for a test of speed.—Harrodsburg Herald.

Misterious Circumstances

One was pale and sallow and the other fresh and rosy, whence the difference. She who is with health blushing uses Dr. Kings New Life Pills to maintain it By gently arousing the lazy organs they compel good digestion and head off constipation. Try them 25cts at Haydons.

A Clearance Sale.

Having sold my farm situated three miles from Springfield and one mile from Simms on the pike leading to Lebanon offer at public sale on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4 1903

all my stock, farming tools, household and kitchen furniture consisting of the following: One combined mare in foal, 1 combined horse, 1 work mule, one 2-year-old finely bred horse one yearling filly, high grade; 3 yearling mules, 2 extra milch cows, giving milk, one fine heifer, 27 head of hogs extra good, 1 new wagon, 1 new buggy, 1 old buggy one brake cart, mowing machine good one, disc harrow, 2 Oliver turning plows, 2 double shovels, 1 single shovel, one extra run ner sled, one wheat fan.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS.

One nice bed-room suit, one Pullman plush parlor suit, one center table, one Hamilton organ two nice rockers, 4 nice iron beds, one set extra nice high back chairs, 9 cane bottom sitting chairs, one dining table extension, one Seth Thomas clock, one steel oven range cook stove, one parlor stove, one hearing stove, one sewing machine, one extra nice parlor lamp, 3 mens' saddles, one side saddle, one bell, and many other things too numerous to mention.

Ladies are especially invited.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums under $10 cash. Over that amount 12 months credit on notes with approved security negotiable and payable in either bank in Springfield

B. G. JONES.
Col. R. E. Whayne, Auctioneer.

Foleys Honey and Tar cures the cough caused by attacks of grippe. It heals the lungs. Wood & Campbell.

Small-pox Stamped Out,

It seems that small pox which has been prevailing in the Early Times neighborhood since the middle of last November has been stamped out The three remaining patients were last week discharged and the pesthouse closed. Messrs Robert Pottinger and Wm. Robertson who acted as guards during the continuance of the disease were released from duty last Saturday and there is every reason to believe that there will be no further outbreak of the trouble. As a means of precaution the pesthouse and its contents were in nowise disturbed. Messrs Robertson and Pottinger discharged their duties as guards in a manner satisfactory to all and were highly commended by the County Judge.

There were about twenty cases of small pox in the neighborhood six of which were treated at the pesthouse, Nace Huston, Mate McAtee, Jim McAtee, wife and baby had severe cases—it a confluent form—the remainder were light All the patients were colored.—Standard.

The scratch of a pin may cause the loss of limb or death when blood poisoning results from the injury. All danger will be avoided however by applying Chamberlains Pain Balm. It is an antiseptic and quick healing antiseptic for cuts, burns bruises. For sale by Haydon

$1000 thrown away.

Mr. W W. Baker of Plainview Neb., writes "My wife had lung trouble for 16 years. We tried a number of doctors and spent over a thousand dollars without relief. She was very low and I lost all hope when a friend suggested trying Foleys Honey and Tar, which I did and thanks to this great remedy is saved her life. She is stronger and enjoys better health than she has known in ten years. We shall never be without Foleys Honey and Tar and would ask those afflicted to try it. Sold by Wood & Campbell.

Mad Dog Bites a Child.

On last Thursday the little eight-year old son of Mrs Ida Long of VanBuren was brought to this place to have the mad stone applied to a wound on his hand made by a rabid dog some days past. When the stone was applied it adhered one hour and forty minutes.

Last week we published an article, and in fact there has scarce been an issue of this paper gotten out in the three months it has been published that has not contained an article about people being bitten by mad dogs. Is it not high time that the good people of the county shoulder arms and go on a dog hunt and kill everyone to be found? The time of year is now at hand for the reports to be coming in of sheep being killed and now would be a good time to put a stop to such losses. You may have dogs that you are fond of and, by them like by your children you think there is no thing that they could do. Both have happened. People who have dogs of value should keep them chained or housed and held personally responsible for damage to property and loss of life, and to all others that are not so kept, "a button" or a load of shot given.—D.

Salesmen Wanted.

To look after our interests in Washington and adjacent counties. Salary or commission. Address the HARVEY OIL Co Cleveland Oht

Lebanon Rural Routes.

Official notice has been received here that free rural postal routes Nos. 1, 2, 3, will be instituted from this office Monday March 2. Route No. 1 goes out the Calvary pike, then up the river and returns by way of the Bradsfordsville pike. No 2 goes out the Cecil river pike and returns by way of the Campbellsville pike, No 3 goes out the Danville and Shirtlike pike and returns by way of the Barbour mill pike. The original route No. 4 out the St. Rose pike and returning by way of the Springfield pike has been held up presumably because of a protest from the citizens of Springfield. It has been recommended that the post office at Simms be discontinued and all their mail sent to Lebanon. This however has not been acted on by the authorities.—Falcon.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure
Digests what you eat.

THE OLD RELIABLE
ROYAL
BAKING POWDER
Absolutely Pure
THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE

Rural Delivery in Boyle

County Attorney Wm J. Price has secured through Congressman Gilbert sets of blanks and instructions appertaining to rural free delivery of mail. There is a good chance to obtain this new and popular system of mail delivery over some routes in Boyle county if the farmers will take a little interest in the matter. Each route is supposed to cover from twenty to twenty five miles and to serve one hundred families. The routes can begin in one county and run into another or two neighboring counties for that matter. It is necessary for the blank petitions, according to the approved form of the department, which Mr. Price has, to be signed by each head of family in his own handwriting, and for each farmer who desires the service to buy or have made a mail box according to the regulations prescribed by the department, The position of carrier pays $600 a year and the applicant must be between the ages of 17 and 55 unless he is an honorably discharged soldier. Any one interested should see Mr. Price. Congressman Gilbert writes that he will take pleasure in obtaining the establishment of the routes in Boyle county.—Danville News.

One Minute Cough Cure gives relief in one minute because it kills the microbes which tickle the mucous membrane causing the cough and at the same time clears the phlegm and draws out the inflamation and heals and soothes the affected parts One Minute Cough Cure strengthens the lungs, wards off pneumonia and is harmless and never failing cure. In all curable cases of coughs, colds and croup One Minute Cough Cure is pleasant to take, harmless and good for young and old. Haydon.

A night alarm.

Worse than an alarm of fire at night is the brassy cough of croup which sounds like the childrens death knell and it means death unless something is done quickly. Foleys Honey and Tar never fails to give instant relief and cures the worst forms of croup Mrs P L. Cardier of Manchester Ky, writes, "My three year old girl had a severe case of croup the doctor said she could not live, I got a bottle of Foleys Honey and Tar and the first dose gave relief and saved her life. For sale by Wood and Caldwell.

Killed Two Birds With One Stone

Last week three negroes got into a fight over a game of craps here in town and the "cuss" words were freely passed and the street was reached, when one negro whose name is said to be McKee, picked up a brick and told the two who were following him to cease their pursuit. They failed to do, and he let fly brick which struck one of the negroes in the head and bounded over to the cranium of the other which sent both down "for the count" No arrests were made, as few saw the "scrap" and the ones who were taking part in it swore out no warrants.—Lawrenceburg It.

NASAL CATARRH quickly yields to the treatment of Elys Cream Balm which is agreeably aromatic. It is received through the nostrils, cleanses and heals the whole surface over which it diffuses itself, A remedy for nasal catarrh which is drying secretions to the diseased membranes should not be used. Cream Balm is recognized as a specific. Price 50 cents, including mailing. Sold by druggists or by mail. A cold in the head is promptly cured. Ely Bros., 56 Warren St.

Do Not Expect Miracles

If a cold long neglected or improperly treated has finished you and you throat you cannot shake it off in a day, but you can stop its progress in a reasonable time by the use of it you use Ayers Lung Balsam which is nothing else but the boiled remedy bronchitis, asthma and other diseases of the air passages.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

County Magistrates..... $ 3 00
County Officers..... 5.00
District Officers..... 10.00

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1903.

For Circuit Judge.

We are authorized to announce the name of

FINLEY SHUCK

candidate for the Office of Circuit Judge of the Eleventh Judicial District, composed of the counties of Marion, Taylor, Green and Washington subject to the action of the Democratic party.

Commonwealth's Attorney

We are authorized to announce

BEN SPALDING

as a candidate for the office of Commonwealth's Attorney for the 11th Judicial district subject to the action of the Democratic party. Primary election June 6, 1903.

We are authorized to announce

HENRY S. McELROY

as a candidate for the nomination for Commonwealth's Attorney of the 11th Judicial district, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce

R. L. DURHAM

of Green county as a candidate for the office of Commonwealths Attorney subject to the action of the Democratic party, in this the Eleventh Judicial district composed of the counties of Washington, Marion, Taylor and Green. Primary June 6, 1903.

For Circuit Clerk.

We are authorized to announce

MR. P. M. CAMPBELL

as a candidate for the office of Circuit Court Clerk of Washington county subject to the Democratic Primary February 21, 1903, if elected will be assisted in the office by Robt. Noe.

For Representative

We are authorized to announce

MR. WILLIAM D. CLAYBROOKE

as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of Representative in the lower house of Kentucky Legislature from Washington county.

Collectors Report

Report of C. L. Price, tax collector for the town of Springfield for the year 1902.

Taxable property $531,940	
at 50 per hundred	$2,659 70
Ties 213 at $1.50	319 50
Ties and property not assessed	5 25
Total	$2,984 45
Less Delinquent list	65 50
Less Collectors Commissions	145 95
Total turned into Treas	$2,773 00

We the committee appointed by G. D. Duncan, Mayor, find the above report correct.

W. L. McCLELLAN,
G. C. WHARTON,
Committee.

Delinquent List

The following persons have been returned delinquent for the year 1902 by the tax collector for the town of Springfield.

WHITE

Ben Bell, Booker, J. M. Boswell, Lon Borders, Wallace Mudd, Hugh O'Gara, Con O'Gara, Eugene O'Bryan, Joe Orrick, Sherman Schmenk, John W. Sias, Jno. Tribbey, T. L. Thompson.

COLORED.

Ben Brown, Dave Brady, Dan Clements, John Carrico, Sherman Caldwell, John Caldwell, Ike Davis, Geo. Easter, Geo. Grundy, George Gentry, Tom Harbor, Jim Johnston, Jim Key, Dominic Lusco, John McFarlin, Jr., Chi Mickens, Wm. Osborne, Tom Phillips, Andrew Paddock, Jno. Peters, John Rowntree, Tom Ray, Bob Ray, Geo. Ray, Jr., Ben Ray, Tom Smith, John Tarrye, Rowan Tarrye, Arch Wharton, Wm. White, James Wagoner, Bob Wakefield.

HOW MANY HANDS

do you suppose dip into that bulk coffee before you buy it?

Lion Coffee

comes in sealed, air-tight packages; no chance for handling, or dirt or things to get in.

Clean, Fresh and Fragrant.

DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK?

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Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

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Were the curtains of time rolled back and the performers of twenty-five years ago to appear on the scene; what a revelation would last night's performance have been to him. How he would have wondered at the simplicity of arrangements of his day, and the magnificence of the drapery of the present, when a little burnt cork and a banjo constituted a performer while now it requires all the present grandure of a colossal attraction like Barlow & Wilson's Minstrels to satisfy the public. Every aggregation has its stars but none cast their rays brighter than do Barlow and Wilson's magnificent aggregation of star performers —New Orleans Daily Picayune.

At the Springfield Opera House next Saturday night. Admission 35, 50 and 75 cents.

NOT LUCK BUT GOOD JUDGMENT

Saves Property and Lives of many People at the Kentucky State Fair, Louisville, Ky.

The Louisville Courier Journal of September 24, 1902, published the following:

"At the State Fair yesterday a thousand people or more had climbed upon one of the sheds, where fine thoroughbred sheep confined for exhibition, to witness the head-on collision between the two big engines, set apart as one of the features of the great fair. The shed gave way, and the people and shed fell in one mass to the ground. Fortunately no lives were lost and no serious results followed, save numerous bruises and scratches, but had it not been for the strong Page Woven Wire Fence stretched around the inclosure to confine the animals, the loss to the owners would have amounted to thousands of dollars."

Luther Burns Springfield is agent for the Page Fence. See him for prices, etc.

Land, Stock and Feed Sale!

On Saturday, March 7, 1903, at about 10:30 a. m., on the premises I will sell at public sale one of the finest stock farms in Washington county. Said farm is known as the Dr. M. B. Logan farm and contains 260 acres. It is situated on the Pleasant Run and Lebanon turnpike eight miles from Lebanon and five miles from Springfield.

There are 85 acres in wheat and fine set of young grass, 30 acres in fine timothy meadow and the rest in grass. This is one of the finest watered farms in the county, two streams running through it affording abundance of pure stock water at all seasons besides a number of never failing springs. There is a fine young orchard, all necessary outbuildings, stock barn, corn cribs, tobacco barns, etc. Said farm is susceptible of division, leaving 150 acres in one tract and 110 in the other and will be sold separate or as a whole to suit the purchaser.

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A runaway almost ended fatally at Grand Rapids, Mich., in August. One horse fell into Grand River. Four others followed and dashed over after them. But Buckley's Arnica Salve, no trouble to cure him. Equally good for Burns, Bruises, Sores, Eruptions and Piles. 25 cts. Haydons drug store.

News from The County.

Happenings Among the County People as Reported by our Correspondents.

FENWICK

Mr. Joe Smith left Monday for Memphis, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Cull were in Willisburg Sunday.

Mrs. Alex Thompson has returned home after a visit to her mother at this place.

Mr. Elmer Anderson, of Samuels was at home Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Annie Kelley is visiting her brother in your town.

Messrs. Ed Young and Lee Barker left Monday for Kansas City, Mo.

Misses Tillie Lewis, Annie Logsdon, Verna and Herbert Walsh spent Sunday with the family of J. D. Barker.

Mrs. W. F. Logsdon and Master Frank spent Sunday with Mrs. G. W. Adams.

Mrs. Joe Smith of Fredericksburg was here the first of the week.

Mrs. Alex Smith spent Monday with Mrs. T. P. Kelley.

Miss Grace Cull is visiting her grandmother at Willisburg.

Will Owens was in our village Sunday.

Quite a number of our young people enjoyed themselves at the candy-pulling given by Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Barker on last Friday night.

PLEASANT GROVE

Miss Margare. Walker of Perryville is visiting her sister Mrs. Neal West.

Miss Annie Jones has returned from VanBuren, Anderson county where she will begin a school in March.

Mrs. Sallie Ross of Fredericksburg was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. S. Yankey last week.

Mr. T. J. Trent was in Louisville last week with his tobacco.

Miss Re a Yankey is visiting in Lexington.

John Kelley has accepted a position with E. B. Pinkston at Litsey.

Dave Litsey accompanied by three of his classmates Messrs. Johnson Lane and Martin were visiting a Judge Litsey's last week.

Tatum and Jenkins bought 28 cattle of Luther Burns at $4 per hundred.

Mr. Jas. Gregory was in Boyle county last week.

Baron Parks gave a sleigh ride to the young folks in the neighborhood last Friday night which was greatly enjoyed by all in attendance.

The remains of Mrs. Thomas Reed of Willisburg were interred at the Pleasant Grove cemetery here Tuesday the 24th. Mrs Reed was well known here and her death is regretted by all.

MOORESVILLE

Married at Chapin by the Rev. Fox of the Methodist church, Mr Jas. Grigsby of this place to Miss Sallie Bodine of near Bloomfield.

Mr. Logan Shelton is on the sick list.

We are having sure enough winter at this time.

Several from here attended county court at Springfield last Monday.

Mr. Tobe Wakefield and Miss Martha Jones of Maud were married in Louisville Wednesday of last week. They returned home Friday night.

Erastus Yates and Miss Estelle Ellis visited Miss Pearl Lynch near Springfield Sunday.

Messrs Mike Troutman and A. W. Eddleman were in Louisville Tuesday on business.

The people of Polin are making up money to erect a foot bridge over Walton Lick. We hope they will succeed as it is very much needed, especially in the spring and winter.

Mr. Chas. Sheehan and Miss Jessie Smith visited at Mr Warren Pile's on Simms on last Sunday.

Mr. North Truax has saved 29 out of 30 chubs which we think is extra good luck.

Messrs Edgar Woford and Luther Bobbitt of Chaplin visited the Misses Gatly, Sunday.

Gartwrights Greek

Mrs. Bart Mattingly entertained a large crowd of visitors Monday.

A rabid dog passed through this neighborhood last Thursday causing quite a sensation. Several people have had to kill their dogs.

Mr. Fonzie Medley and sister Miss Maggie were visiting at Mr. Bill Smith's Sunday, also Albert Smith and wife.

Joe Blandford bought from Oscar Green a sow and pigs for $20, and sold the same to Conrad Hertlein for $25.

Misses Mary B. and Jessie Carrico and Nora Smith spent Tuesday night with Miss Maggie Medley who entertained at her home in a delightful way.

Edmond Buckler and wife of near St. Marys were at St. Rose Sunday.

Mrs. Kate Badgett who has been ill for quite a while is no better at this writing. Frank Carrico still continues very ill.

Ed. Phillips sold to Albert Smith a pair of work mules for $175.

Mackville.

Miss Addie Cox is quite sick this week with mumps.

Charlie Ison of Pleasant Hill spent Sunday night here and paid his respects to our young ladies.

Rev. Hobbs filled his regular appointment at Wesley Chapel last Sunday.

Quite a number of teachers are attending Prof. Edward's school preparing for the coming examinations.

Oden Coyd is out again after a severe attack of mumps.

Henry Isham lost a valuable black mare last week. He also had a lot of meat stolen one night.

Will Hanson and bride spent last Saturday night with the family of Mr. George Walker.

The young people enjoyed a few very nice sleigh rides last week.

Will Buttons sold a nice horse to Milton Grider of Willisburg for $66.

Willie Bottoms bought of Dr. Shields 8 acres of land adjoining his place at $25 per acre.

The young people of this place met at the Christian church and organized a society of Christian Endeavor. Let the good work go on.

Hillsboro

Mrs. Bertha Stiller spent several days last week with her grandmother Mrs. E. J. Wilson near Litsey.

Rev. W. Ezra Sutherland and wife have returned from a visit to the latters parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Williams at Bloomfield.

Miss Ida Godby of Perryville is the pleasant guest of her mother Mrs. Annie Godby.

Mrs. Nannie Homan is very sick with la grippe.

Mrs. Mary Clark happened to a painful accident last Saturday by falling and striking her side against a bedpost.

Mrs. Minerva Coulter is visiting her daughter Mrs. Nan Scott.

Mr. Nat Thompson and sister Miss Cosie spent Thursday with Mrs. Mary Thompson.

John Gillispie is visiting his sister Mrs. John Robinson at Jamestown.

Mr. Felix Noel spent Saturday night with Mr. N. P. Thompson of Pleasant Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Josh Inman entertained the young folks Saturday night in a very charming manner with a social.

Several of our people are attending court this week.

FROM ANOTHER CORRESPONDENT.

The inclemency of the weather last week kept people at home and news items are reduced to a minimum.

Leslie Shewmaker visited his relatives in Mackville last week.

Deputy Sheriff Mullican was here Saturday summoning witnesses in the Shewmaker case.

Dr. A. M. Shields of Mackville was here Saturday on business.

Ed Settles sold a horse to J. M. Sutton for $50 and bought one from Richard Shewmaker for $50.

Dudley Sutherland and Coleman Stigall have returned from a trip to Anderson county where they had gone to engage in a checkerplaying contest. Coleman says he will return in the near future, but not to play checkers.

Mrs. Annie Godby who has been visiting friends and relatives at Chaplin and Bloomfield for several weeks has returned home.

The cold blizzard that visited us last week did considerable damage. Stock of all kinds suffered greatly from the severe snow storms and the sudden fall of the temperature. This is said to be one of the worst spells of weather that we have experienced for several years and owing to the fair weather that preceded it for some time the people were unprepared for it, thus making it felt more keenly.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis Crow of Polin visited the latter's mother, Mrs. McIlvoy on Sunday.

The dog that has been terrorizing this community for the past few weeks attacked Henry Setles Saturday night with vicious growls and snaps. Henry being unprepared to give him a fight tried the speed of his gray mare who did not go half fast enough to suit him. Persons who saw the dog say he is a large brindled cur. Several are keeping an outlook for the canine and it will likely be able to report his death in the near future.

Misses Maud and Eva Inman entertained a number of young people Saturday night. Those present were Misses Ethel and Hattie Settles, Mollie Shewmaker, Lizzie White and Mariah Settles, Messrs Dudley Sutherland, Ballard and Coleman Settle Jas. Oder and John Sutton.

A mission Sunday School was organized at our church Sunday. Thomas Sutherland was elected superintendent and Mr. C. W. Oder secretary. There will be about six classes organized as soon as literature can be secured.

Judging from observation a number of our young men will have to migrate to some other community for the widows have taken their girls away from them. The boys must have to some place where the hills has not been acquired.

The price realized for tobacco this year by the farmers have been discouraging and the speculators at present unless prices get better many will cease to raise the plant. In several counties the farmers have effected an organization against the combine, and it is time for the farmers in this county to take some such a step.

Public Sale.

As attorney for Mrs. Theresa Boyle I will on

Saturday February 28

sell at public auction on the premises the following property in Springfield:

A good two-story dwelling on West High street near Catholic church, nearly new with an acre lot. Also the property on Main street being the old Hotel site known as the Pike Hotel property and consisting of a storehouse, barber shop, butcher shop and carriage house. All of it will be offered in parcels and yielding a good income. Sale will begin at [illegible] o'clock. Terms will be made known on day of sale.

At [illegible] Feb. [illegible]

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Rattlesnakes Seldom Attack.

Of rattlesnakes there are at least a dozen, probably fifteen, different kinds, all inhabitants of America exclusively, where they range from the northern United States down to Patagonia. The common, or timber, rattlesnake extends from Maine to Texas. Once generally abundant, it is happily now a rare animal save in more thinly inhabited districts of the southern and western states. It may attain a length of five feet, with a large triangular and flattened head. It feeds on rabbits, rats and squirrels and is for the most part a slow and sluggish animal, waiting quietly till its prey approaches. Its sluggishness makes it the more dangerous, as it may be stepped upon unawares, with a most fatal result. But it never either attacks spontaneously or pursues a retreating enemy.

An Irish Refrigerator.

An Irishwoman was looking at refrigerators in a house furnishing store some weeks ago. After examining into the merits and qualities of a number of them she purchased the one that the salesman assured her would keep food the best. Some days afterward the woman called and requested them to take that refrigerator back, as it would not keep anything better than the kitchen safe of the other. The salesman mildly suggested that possibly she had not put enough coal in it to keep the things cold. "Enough ice in it? Why, are you crazy, man? I don't put any ice in it. Anything will keep cold if you put ice in it. I bought the refrigerator so that I wouldn't need the ice." —Philadelphia Ledger.

Wagner's Nerve.

Wagner, the eminent composer, had the nerves of an acrobat. Once he was climbing a precipitous mountain in company with a young friend. When some distance up and walking along a narrow ledge, the companion, who was following, called out that he was growing giddy.

Wagner turned around on the ledge of rock, caught his friend and passed him between the rock and himself to the front.

The Voice Experience.

"I don't care to marry—at least not yet," said Belle.

"Why not?" asked the matron.

"Because as many as are now I have the attentions of half a dozen men, while if I married I would have the attentions of only one."

"Huh!" exclaimed the matron. "You wouldn't have even that."—Chicago Post.

The Still Voice.

"Whose voice did it like best, yours or mine?" asked Miss Green.

"I'm not quite sure," replied Miss Bird. "His remarks were a bit ambiguous."

"Why, what did he say?"

"He said he liked my voice, but that yours was better still."—Philadelphia Press.

The Bank of England has a pair of scales so accurate that an ink spot on a piece of paper visibly affects the balance.

Chelly's Good One.

"Oh, Miss Perkins, I have a conundrum for you. What is the difference between a jilted lover who pretends he doesn't care and a dish of Dutch cabbage?"

Miss Perkins—Well, go on. What's the answer?

Chelly—One's a sour kraut and the other's sauerkraut. Ha, haw! Isn't that doosid clevah?—New York Press.

Not Sure of Him.

"Why are you so sure that he loves you?"

"Because he stays away from me, in hopes he can overcome the fascination of my presence. And there is but one thing that bothers me—I fear he will succeed."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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The Red Stamp Special Notice.

All collectors of Red Rebate Stamps will please call at our headquarters, Wood & Campbell's drug store, any time between now and March 14th and have their stamps counted. This is done to see who is entitled to the EXTRAS that were to have been given away on Christmas. The extras will be given away on March 15th, A handsome Banquet Lamp and a Rocker or Chamber Set.

MORE EXTRAS.

Will be given away on Christmas.

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ROBERTSON & SEARCY

Ask for the Red Stamps and get in line at once for our next Christmas presents and remember you can get any thing with RED stamps.

The Beaver.

The beaver is really a sort of portable pulp mill, grinding up almost any kind of wood that comes his way, save a willow. I once measured a white birch tree twenty-two inches through cut down by a beaver. A single beaver generally, if not always, amputates the tree and when it comes down the whole family fall to and have a regular frolic with the bark and branches. A big beaver will bring down a fair sized sapling—say three inches through—in about two minutes and a large tree in about an hour. The ability of a beaver to remain under water for a long time is not really so tough a problem as it looks. When the lake or pond is frozen over, a beaver will come to the under surface of the ice and expel his breath so that it will form a wide, flat bubble. The air, coming in contact with the ice and water, is purified, and the beaver breathes it again. This operation he can repeat several times. The otter and muskrat do the same thing.

FAITHFUL DAD.

Here's to You, You've Got Your Faults, but You're All Right.

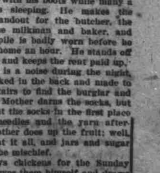
We happened in a home the other night and over the parlor door in the legend worked in letters of red, "Home Without a Mother?" Across the room was another brief, "God Bless Our Home!"

Now, what's the matter with "God Bless Our Dad?" The wife gets up early, lights the fire, boils an egg, mixes his dinner pail and wipes off the dew of the dawn with his boots while many a mother is sleeping. He makes the weekly handout for the butcher, the grocer, the milkman and baker, and his little pile is badly worn before he has been home an hour. He stands off the bailiff and keeps the rent paid up.

If there is a noise during the night, dad is kicked in the back and made to go downstairs to find the burglar and kill him. Mother dons the socks, but dad bought the socks in the first place and the needles and the yarn afterward. Mother does up the fruit; well, dad bought it all, and jars and sugar cost like the mischief.

Dad buys chickens for the Sunday dinner, carves them himself and draws the neck from the ruins after every one else is served. "What is home without a mother?" Yes, that is all right, but what is home without a father? Ten chances to one it is a boarding house, father is under a slab and the landlady is a widow. Dad, here's to you! You've got your faults—you may have lots of them—but you're all right, and we will miss you when you're gone.—Stevens County Reveille.

AMERICAN SILVER TRUSS.



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the barometer falls, the air expands into a larger volume e air inside the cupboard also s and forces itself out at every crevice. When the barometer ain, the air inside the cupboard, as outside, condenses and and the air is forced back into board to equalize the pressure. air with the air in goes the dust. ther the crevice, the stronger if air, the farther goes the dirt. the dirt tracks so often seen erfectly framed engravings or aphs. Remember, whenever the barometer rising, that an al charge of dust is entering board and drawers.

Prophetic Dreams.

lief in prophetic dreams is not a superstition, according to its obtained by two members rench institute. They point at night when the senses are be brain is affected particular- nnic feelings in various parts ody and that early symptoms ing diseases give a particular to the dreams. A familiar ia nightmare, which indicates a condition. Immoderate drink- its, snakes and insects in their before the actual outbreak of tremens, and so on.

In Her Debt.

leasant faced woman passed r Jones touched his hat to her arked feelingly to his com-

y boy, I owe a great deal to man."
mother?" was the query.
y landlady."

Not Dangerous.

Windig is a nice fellow, but en to exaggerating.
Yes, but that fault is counter- by one thing?
What is that?
The general indisposition of believe him.—Chicago News.

Won In a Walk.

ow did you get off in the glee suit?"
first base on four bawls."—

His Conviction.

re two sides to a jail, and it's get inside the outside. It outside the inside.—Baltimore

A Neat Dull.

hman, prosecuting another ecault, was asked to explain d's black eyes.
replied readily, "before he to hit me I hit him back."

in the family—a woman's Philadelphia Bulletin.

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Mr. John R. Walker sold to R A. Dodd of Wilmore on Monday two nice horses, a bay and a brown for $350,

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Barlow and Wilson's Minstrels from start to finish were one of the best ever seen in Albany — The Albany Argus.

Remember Thompson & Green are the only dealers in Springfield who handle the genuine Oliver Chilled plow repairs.

Barlow and Wilson's minstrels had a packed house and gave a first-class show. — Hartford Daily Courant.

The best Woven Wire fence on earth is the Page. Luther A. Burns of Springfield agent. See him for prices and further particulars.

Get your carpets, rugs, mattings, window shades, linoleum at Robertson Bros. They carry the largest line in town. Their prices are always right.

Ed Canter better known as Sharpy, while fooling with a pistol in his room last Saturday, shot himself through the hand, inflicting a painful wound.

LIFE—Mr. J. W. Mansfield has studied Life Assurance as a profession: and is competent and capable to give any information desired or to be had on any Life Assurance topic.

FOR SALE—A stock of groceries located in Springfield and will invoice about $1,500. Will sell as a lump or will sell by invoice For further particulars inquire at the NEWS-LEADER office

The advance sale of seats indicates that there will be a record breaking crowd at the performance of the Barlow and Wilson minstrels on next Saturday night This is one of the best attractions that has ever visited this place, Admission 75, 50 and 35 cents.

FOR SALE—I have a fine young stallion three years old the coming spring, is a grand son of the old Kelley Horse (Blood Chief) which I wish to sell or trade for a fine well broke mare.
R. J. CROUCH,
Willisburg, Ky.

...day while skating ... found Jerome Hendron a young man from Jeffersonville Ind., who is employed by Lake & Green came near getting drowned. Hendren ventured too far out and the ice gave way but being rather quick he succeeded in getting out with a good wetting.

One day last week while walking in her yard Mrs J. F. Greene met with a very painful accident. She slipped on the ice and in falling her foot was caught in such a way as to cause a very bad strain of that member and in consequence of which she has not been able to leave her room

Mr. W. S. Gibbs, the well-known horseman of this county bought last week of Burton Cox of Lawrenceburg the fine stallion Monte Wood, a full brother to the celebrated horse Liston, which was sold by Ball Brothers recently for $3,000. Mr. Gibbs will have this horse this season at his stock farm near Willisburg

There was a good crowd in town on Monday, but the live stock market was quiet, only a few head of stock being on the market. Auctioneer S. M. Campbell reports the following sales: 7 steer calves at $16.50 each, cow and calf $28; cow and calf $27.50; milch cow $25; sow and pigs $25; one gilt $6.95; one pair aged mules for $99.50; plug horse $40; plug horse $25: 2 year old mule $52; mare $70.25; mare $50.

Announcement is made of the approaching marriage of Miss Annie Neikirk to Mr. Irvine Adams which is to occur Wednesday March 4th. These are both popular young people of the county and have the best wishes of a host of friends. The wedding will be a quiet affair and will take place at the home of bride's parents Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Neikirk.

There is nothing more certain than death, yet nothing more uncertain than the time of death. Who carries the risk on your life? If you are not assured, your wife and children are carrying it. Who will get your estate when you die. If you are carrying enough insurance to cover your obligations, your loved ones will get your estate, If not the lawyers' loved ones will get it There are many good companies but The Equitable is the Best. J. W. Mansfield agent.

Dan Roberts, a colored man employed by Marks & Green had a narrow escape on Monday, county court day. Roberts was coming up an alley from work when Richard Trent and several companions, all loaded up on mean whiskey met him Several shots were fired down the alley, one striking Roberts in the breast and glanced around his body. Roberts escaped with a slight flesh wound and Trent was arrested and placed in jail, and his case is now being considered by the grand jury

Mr. Nat W. Thompson, one of the county's most popular citizens was suddenly stricken with appoplexy on last Monday night at his home in the Pleasant Grove neighborhood and still lies in a very precarious condition He was in town on Monday and appeared in his usual good health and spirits and the news of his sudden attack was a great shock to everyone. For twenty-four hours after he was stricken his life was almost despared of but at the hourof going to press his physicians give a slight hope of improvement although he is paralyzed on one side

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The remains of Mr. John W. Vize who died in Louisville at the Mary and Elizabeth hospital Sunday last, were brought to this place and buried at St. Rose on Tuesday morning. The deceased married Annie L., the daughter of Mr. R. L. Clements of this county and had resided since the marriage in Daviess county this state up until a few weeks ago when his health began to fail and he went to Pheonix Arizona, his family coming to this county. Mr. Vize's health did not improve in the West and he started back to Kentucky but after reaching Louisville could proceed no further and died after a few days at the hospital of consumption. His wife and eight children survive him and they will make their home in the county.

Notice

All persons having claims against the estate of Amanda McClain deceased are hereby notified to present same properly proven to me at my office in Springfield, Ky., on or before March 10, 1903.
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THOS, S. GRUNDY DEAD.

Prominent Washington County Citizen Died After a Long Illness.

After an illness of several years accompanied by feebleness incident to old age, Col Thomas S, Grundy died at his home at Valley Hill, this county. He passed away at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon after lingering between life and ddath for nearly a week All of his children and his devoted wife and other near relatives and friends were with him in his last hours. The funeral was held at the residence on Tuesday morning, Rev. Edrington conducting the services. The burial was at the old Grundy family burying ground on the farm.

Col. Grundy was one of Washington county's most prominent citizens. He had up to several years ago led a very active life and was a conspicuous figure politically, socially and in a business way. He was born February 26, 1822 at the old homestead on the farm on which he lived at the time of his death, five miles west of Springfield. He was a son of Charles Grundy and a nephew of the celebrated Felix Grundy who was at one time Chief Justice of the Court of Appeals of Kentucky which office he resigned and moved to Nashville Tenn., where he served as Chief Justice of the Court of Appeals of Tennessee, member of Congress, and member of the United States Senate, where he was recognized as a debater without a peer.

Col. Thos. S. Grundy was elected to the legislature from Washington county in 1847, and served three terms in that body. He was elected to the State Senate in 1847 and was again elected in 1885. While serving in this cap acity Mr. Grundy was recognized by his associates as one of the most conscientious and brilliant members that Washington county had the good fortune to send to Frankfort as its representative. In 1890 after a canvass of only ten days he made a remarkable race against Hon. A. B. Montgomery for the Democratic nomination for Congress and was defeated by a small majority. Col. Grundy at one time owned one of the finest herds of Shorthorn cattle in this country and his cattle took premiums at many of the state fairs He also bred and owned some fine thoroughbred race horses.

In November 1859 he married Miss Maggie Bowman, a most excellent Christian lady who, together with six children Messrs. Thos. L. Grundy, of Bloomfield, C. L., and W. G. Grundy of Valley Hill; J. B. Grundy of Bardstown; Mrs. C. C. McChord of Springfield and Miss Lida Grundy of Valley Hill survive.

Death of Mrs T. W. Reed

Mrs. Jane Reed wife of Mr. Thos. W. Reed died at her home near Willisburg this county last Sunday morning at 5 o'clock after a brief illness of pneumonia. The news of the death of this estimable woman was a sad shock to the community in which she lived as well as to many friends throughout the county by whom she was held in the highest esteem for her many excellent qualities of character. Mrs. Reed was about 62 years of age and was a daughter of the late Daniel McIlvoy. She was a sister of Mrs. Oscar Walker and of Mr. Robt McIlvoy of this county. She had been married twice, Messrs. Thomas and Henry Miller being the surviving children by her first husband. Of her other children Lieut. W. O. Reed now with the army in the Philippines, Mrs. John L. Searcy and Mrs W W, Hyatt of this county survive. The funeral took place at Pleasant Grove church on Tuesday. Rev Miles Saunders conducting the services. The heartfelt sympathy of the entire community goes out to the bereaved husband and children over their sad loss

Harmon-Keightly.

Mr. William S. Harmon and Miss Margaret Keightly were quietly married at the home of the bride's father Mr. Gabe Keightly, about four miles from town on the 18th, Rev R. L. Purdom officiating The groom is the son of Mr. T. J. Harmon, who is well known in and around Springfield. He is a highly esteemed young man and numbers his friends by the score. The bride is a most charming and accomplished young lady and has a host of friends and admirers in this and adjoining counties. They will reside this year on the farm of the groom's father Their many friends wish them a long and happy journey through married life.

Neikirk-Lawson.

Mr. Buford Neikirk left here Tuesday for Henderson Ky., where he was married on yesterday to Miss Daisy Lawson of that place. The bride is pleasantly remembered here where she lived for some time with the family of Rev. R. E, C. Lawson, she being the foster sister of Mr. Lawson Mr, Neikirk is a son of Mr. W. F. Neikirk and is one of the most industrious farmers of the county. Mr. and Mrs. Neikirk are expected in to night or tomorrow and will go to housekeeping on the Neikirk farm near town. The NEWS-LEADER joins with the many friends in offering congratulations.

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Edelen-Cambron.

Last Tuesday Feb., 17 in the old church of Holy Rosary at Manton, were married W. K. Edelen and Miss Allie Cambron. Mr. Edelen is one of the most industrious and exemplary young men of Manton and Miss Cambron is the promising daughter of Sim Cambron well known in that neighborhood. The ceremonies were conducted by Rev J. T. Pieters, the new pastor from Fredericktown just a year and a half in this country. The number of friends who were present, notwithstanding the heavy snow and the low temperature shows that this young couple is highly esteemed by all and we wish both perfect joy and happiness all the days of their lives.

PERSONAL

W. K. Marks was in Bardstown last week on business.

Mr. Leslie Gowdy of Campbellsville was here Sunday.

Mr. Kent Barber of Bardstown was here the first of the week.

Mr. James Brown of Indianapolis visited his relatives here last week.

Miss Annie McChord has returned from a vitit to friends in Newport, Ky.

Mr. W. A. Taylor of Harrodsburg visited friends here the first of the week.

Mr. J. C. Greene went to Bardstown and Bloomfield on business Tuesday.

John H. DeWitt of Louisville was here Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Reed.

Miss Lizzie Lee has gone to Louisville to be with her sister Miss Josie who is quite sick,

Mas. Kate Williams has gone to Louisville and Indianapolis to study the Spring styles in millinery.

Mr. Ruel Foster Book-keeper in the First National Bank is very sick at his home with tonsilitis.

Messrs. E. N. Hundley of Lebanon and William Hays of Bloomfield were among the county court crowd Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Thompson were in Lebanon last week. Mr. Thompson being called there to act as auctioneer in the sale of some real estate.

Mr George W, Colvin is here this week and will probably remain to engage in the practice of law. He will be in the office of Hon. John W. Lewis

Messrs. Frank Yancey and John H. Hines two popular men of the Polin neighborhood were visitors to the NEWS-LEADER office Monday and their names now adorn our subscription list.

Editor J. M. Cooney of the Bardstown Record, was in town a short time Tuesday. He was en route home from Lebanon where he had delivered a Washington Birthday address before the Y. M. I of that place.

Messrs Ben Spalding and Henry S. McElroy of Lebanon and R. L. Durham of Green county, all candidates for the Democratic nomination for Commonwealths Attorney were on the streets the first of the week shaking hands with the voters.

Court Opens.

The regular term of Circuit Court opened here on Tuesday, with Judge Patteson on the bench and a good attendance of attorneys and litigants. Court adjourned Tuesday on account of the funerals of Col. Thomas S Grundy Mrs T W. Reed. Yesterday a number of cases on the criminal docket were tried and disposed of. The trial of Leslie Shewmaker charged with murder if set for next Tuesday. It will be remembered that this case was tried last term and resulted in a hung jury.

For Sale.

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To the second $25, Third $20;
Fourth $10; Fifth $5;
No merchant, peddler or dealer of any kind will be permitted to enter the contest under any circumstances, as this intended alone to encourage the egg industry in the hands of the farmer and to show my appreciation of their trade in the past and to more amply repay them in the future.
A receipt will be given for every dozen or number of dozen, but for no less than one dozen, so be careful and don't break your eggs. We will also endeavor to pay highest market price for your produce. The money for the awarding of the above prizes will be placed on deposit at the Peoples Bank on February 15 1903, to remain until November 2, 1903, when the same will be distributed among the deserving customers. Anyone who may be in doubt as to the reliability of this may satisfy themselves by calling at the Peoples Bank. Eggs to be delivered at Poultry House, Springfield on Railroad Street.
M. H. JONES, Manager.

Washington Letter

The Department of Commerce and Labor is now an accomplished fact and Mr. George B Cortelyou, formerly Secretary to the President has been nominated for the new Secretaryship and confirmed by the Senate. The assistant has not yet been announced, but Mr. James R. Garfield, now Civil Service Commissioner has been appointed Commissioner of Corporations to whom will fall the duty of enforcing the publicity provisions of the Nelson amendment. Secretary Cortelyon is now seeking quarters for his new Department but it is expected that Congress will authorize the purchase of a site and the erection of a special Commerce building before adjournment. The selection of Messrs Garfield and Cortelyou for the important positions to which they have been appointed is regarded as an earnest effort of the President's desire to secure thorough and conscientious enforcement of the anti-trust legislation enacted at this session of Congress Mr. Garfield is a son of the former President Garfield.

The option on the Panama Canal Company's property expires on the 4th of March and, information having reached the State Department that European capitalists were prepared to invest sufficient funds in the company to complete the canal if the United States did not accept the offer of $40,000,000 for the entire property and privileges, the President instructed Attorney General Knox to cable the Panama Company accepting the offer, the acceptance being conditional on the ratification of the treaties now signed As soon as the Columbian Congress ratifies the convention the United States will be called upon to pay out $50,000,000 cash including the price paid to Columbia and the Panama Company respectively and beginning seven years thereafter there will begin the annual rental of $250,000, all of this irrespective of the cost of construction,

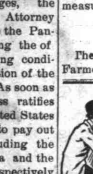
The ex-slave pension bill introduced by Senator Hanna has already borne fruit and a circular has been sent out by the "ex slave Mutual Relief B. and P. Association of the United States' announcing that Senator Hanna who is described as a "man of might and power" has introduced the bill and soliciting a contribution of $1 from every negro for the promotion of the bill. Senator Hanna has admitted to your correspondent that he introduced the bill without giving any thought to its provisions and that he appreciates that there is not the slightest chance of its ever becoming a law, nevertheless the circular referred to is so carefully worded that the post-office authorities say they cannot as yet, declare it to be a fraud and thus prohibit it from the use of the mails That Senator Hanna should willingly or unwittingly have lent his name to such a scheme is a source of regret to every senator in both parties as it is appreciated that the only result apart from the political strength it may bring to Mr. Hanna with the southern republicans will be to defraud thousands of ignorant and misguided negroes of money they can ill afford to lose.

Ostensibly the advocates of Statehood are keeping up their fight but it is evident they are losing heart and Senators have admitted to your correspondent that they have little hop of success. If the democrats would permit the compromise bill admitting Arizona and New Mexico as one state, to become a law that measure would pass but their refusal to do so augers defeat for all Statehood legislation.

Very little progress has been made with legislative matters during the past week. The Littlefield bill has been reported with amendments by the Senate Judiciary Committee but will not be considered by the Senate. The House committee on Rules has reported a rule for the consideration of the Fowler currency bill and an attempt will be made on Monday to report favorably the Ship Subsidy bill to the House but with little hope of success. There remain almost an appropriation bill to a day for the remaining days of the 57th congress and aside from the Aldrich "rubber" currency bill it is not expected that any further measure of importance will pass.

A Large Loss.

The following from the Indiana Farmer applies with almost



12 Minutes for Lunch.

That is the average time spent in a large city restaurant by three thousand luncheers. It takes three hours to digest a fresh egg soft boiled; three hours to digest a boiled apple dumpling; three hours to digest fresh roast beef. In fact, three hours is about the time required to digest the average twelve minute lunch. The digest the hasty lunch is to let the busy man get back to his office work. But when the brain is active, the stomach is inactive for lack of necessary blood. The natural consequence is indigestion, and indigestion opens the door to many diseases.

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There are over five hundred farmers in Indiana who grow and own cattle which are worth ten dollars per head more than the average price of cattle of ten thousand other farmers on account of better blood and quality and breeding, feeding and management. In other words, while there are over one million head of cattle in the state, there are 980,000 head that fell ten dollars per head below the average value of the other 20.000. This means of course, that by indifferent breeding and management of ten thousand farmers they are $9,800 060 poorer than they need to be if they would grade up their cattle in their management of them to the level of the other five hundred or more cattle growers. Not only so but it means big loss to the State in general wealth, on the single item of cattle growing alone. This condition does not prevail in any thing like this ratio as respects ownership of other domestic animals. The hogs grown in the State are far more nearly on an even level in breeding and value.

National Aid to Good Roads.

Among the arguments offered favor of National aid to good roads is the following:

The revenues of the United States Government, aggregating nearly five hundred millions of dollars per year, are drawn as much from the agricultural areas as from all other sources combined, yet at the same time when it comes to the distribution of the fund not more than ten per cent of it is put out in the rural districts, whereas ninety per cent is distributed in the great cities for public building, battleships munitions of war, harbor facilities, etc. This discrimination has resulted very largely from a lack of attention and consideration. It is believed that Congress would make appropriation for improving roads as rivers if urged to do so by the people of the rural districts

Joints Like Rusty Hinges

are among the consequences of rheumatism. The sufferer can move knees and elbows but the effort makes him wince, He rejoices when a good rubbing with Perry Davis Painkiller drives the stiffness off and brings freedom of motion back, No wonder our grandfathers believed heartily in this beneficent linement.

Rural Delivery Coming

Postmaster Hutcheson has been notified that Col. H. G. Rising will be in this county within the next few weeks to survey the new routes for which petitions have been filed. Col. Rising has just established four routes in Owen county and while there, told the postmaster in Owenton that he had orders to come here as early as possible. Let other petitions be circulated so that other routes may be established and the benefits of free delivery extended to other party of the county.—Lawrenceburg It

On the first and third Tuesday of each month the Cotton Belt Route will sell one way and round trip tickets at one half of the regular rate plus $2 to points in Missouri, Arkansas, Louisiana and Texas, allowing stop over going and return limit in 21 days

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Any of the following literature describing the country and its resources along the line of the Cotton Belt Route will be sent free to any person upon application. "Homes in the Southwest" "Glimpses of Southeast Missouri Arkansas and N. W. Louisiana" "Through Texas with a Camera" "Fortunes in Growing Fruits and Vegetables", "The Diversified fruit and truck grower's journal.

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Editorial. "We" Explained

A rural editor has at last gratified the curiousity of an anxious public by explaining the significance of the editorial "we". It says: When you read "We expect our wife home today" "we refers to the editor. "We are a little late with our work" includes the whole office force even the devil and the towel. In "We are having a boom" the town is meant; "We received over one million emigrants last year" embraces the nation, but "We have hog cholera in our midst" makes that the man who takes our paper out and does not pay for it still.

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Observance of Lent.

The observance of Lent this year will leave behind it a larger religious force than ever before It remains to be seen whether the season will be more largely kept than heretofore. The season begins on February 25 and and concludes on April 12. Protestant bodies that never before made mention of Lent have recommended officially that the season be observed The National Gospel Campaign Committee especially urge the keeping of Ash Wednesday and all Canada urge the keeping of Holy week. Methodists, Baptists, Reformed Disciples of Christ, United Brethren and even Quakers have, in some of their bodies formally recommended the keeping of the season As Roman Catholics, Episcopalians and Lutherans already keep it, in some measure at least the season has now the indorsement of all religious America.

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THE LONDON TAPSTER.

Hard Luck Stories That Take the Place of Open Begging.

The plain and even tapster who accosts you in the street purely to beg may generally be known by an amazing overpoliteness in opening the conversation. He is the only person I know who begs pardon for taking the liberty of speaking to you, and by this sign you shall know him. They all begin by begging pardon for taking this not so very rare liberty, but only the duffers go on straightway to tap. The proficient tapsters approach the tap sideways, so to speak. Something like this, with a quick touch of the hat brim:

"Beg pardon, sir, I'm sure I 'umbly beg your pardon for takin' the great liberty of speakin' to you in a public thoroughfare like this, which I am quite aware it is a great liberty, sir, though trustin' you will kindly pardon the great liberty of a pore, 'ardworkin' man, sir, in takin' the great liberty of askin' if this street is the 'Aymarket, sir?" (Or the way to the Strand or the day of the month, or something.)

You answer the question, but you don't stop the stream of apologetics. "Thank you, kindly, sir," pursues the tapster, pouring out the words, "thank you kindly, sir, if you'll so far pardon the liberty of a pore, 'ardworkin' man, sir, in askin' the question, which unfortunately I was forced to take the great liberty, sir, through bein' out o' work eighteen months an' nothink to eat since last Tooesday fortnight, sir, upon my word of honor, which nothink but the cries for bread of fourteen young children in arms would prevail on me, sir—so lystreme kind as you've bin to me, sir, which I shall never forget—to take the very great liberty, sir, in a public thoroughfare, of askin' which is the nearest work'ouse?"

If once more you give him information instead of coppers, you only provoke another speech of the same book for he can go on like that for a deal longer than you want to listen. It is only in the extreme that he will direct by ask for money, though I fancy that it is merely caution that marks his guarded way, as they say in the lyric. For if accused of begging by some watchful policeman he can always plead that he was only asking a harmless question. And the questions are endless in variety. I give my solemn word that I was once buttonholed by one of these seedy tapsters with the apologetic request that I would tell him the number of stars on the national flag of the United States! This is a simple fact.—Leonard Larkin in the Strand.

The Title of "Mrs."

The title Mrs. was in olden time applied to unmarried as well as to married women and to young as well as old. Sir Walter Scott spoke of Joanna (unmarried) as Mrs. Joanna Baillie. Although it was not perhaps so universal to address quite young children as it was those over twenty-one by the title of Mrs., yet it was frequently done. The most ludicrous example of this occurs in the register of burials for the parish of St. Margaret, Westminster. The burial of Milton's second wife and that of his infant daughter, named after her, who died at the age of five months, are both recorded in that register, the name in each case being entered as "Mrs. Katherin Milton," without any mark of distinction save the letter "C" for "child," after the second name. Even in the reign of George II., as we read in "Pope's Letters," unmarried ladies used to be styled Mrs.

Wonderful Insect Vitality.

It is a standing puzzle to the entomologists how frail little insects of the mosquito and butterfly order can brave the cold of an arctic winter and yet retain their vitality. The larva of the milkweed butterfly has been exposed to an artificial blast 68 degrees below zero. Taken out of range of this artificial blizzard and gradually "thawed out" this same worm was able to creep in less than half an hour afterward. Butterflies have been found flitting joyously about in the highest latitude man has ever penetrated, and the mosquitoes of Alaska and Greenland are known to be the healthiest specimens of that race of little pests.

Engagement Rings.

The custom of giving engagement rings ranks back to long before the Christian era. With the ancient Egyptians engagement rings were always of iron, to indicate the mutual sacrifice of liberty of the contracting parties.

One of the very earliest adornments of betrothal rings was a loadstone, which symbolized the attractive force which drew a maiden from her own family circle into that of her husband. It is believed that the fourth finger has always been the bride's ring finger.

Investigating the Delay.

Sunday School Teacher—And it took Noah 100 years to build the ark.

Street Arab—What was the matter? Was there a strike?—Puck.

It won't be silly here the fun

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"The terrapin enigma is one distinction that is rather unique. I said a man who keeps his eye open for curious things and it is probably in the first third of the many ways to spell the name of the creature of the water than any other. I have any knowledge of it there is almost impossible to spell it incorrectly, and this is something you can say about very few words in the English language. By counting the different ways we will find that there are five ways to spell the word, and they are these: Terrapin, terrapin, terrapen, turapen. The preference is given to the first way of spelling the word, but it is certainly open to write it in one other way. It would not be entirely wrong. There is no excuse for spelling the word incorrectly. Why, a fellow must be shut his eyes and hit the mark almost every time. He can write it in five ways and be dark. The hardest stunt would be to write it incorrectly. And yet it happens now and then that men hit upon the wrong way of spelling this very same word. I have taken pains to spell it turpin, but not in print. But the fact I had in mind was the curious fact that there are so many correct ways of spelling the word, and at this moment I cannot recall the name of a single other creature similarly circumstanced so far as the dictionary is concerned."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Spanish Dances.

Spanish dances have a certain resemblance to the dances of the east. In our country one's idea of a dance is something in which the movement is due to the feet. In Japan and in Egypt the legs have very little to do with the dance. The exquisite rhythms of Japanese dances are produced by the subtle manipulation of the manipulation of scarfs, the delicate undulations of the body. In Arab dances and in the danse du ventre the legs are more nearly motionless. The arms are only used to assist in producing the extraordinary movements of the stomach and the hips in which so much of the dance consists.

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"Samson was strong as my papa is."

"Is your father strong?" queried the teacher, s

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